

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:)	
Mark B. Childlaw et al.)	
Serial No.: 10/727,217)	Group Art Unit: 1615
Filed: December 03, 2003)	Examiner: Susan T. Tran
For: Controlled-Release of an)	
Active Substance into a High)	
Fat Environment)	

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Sir:

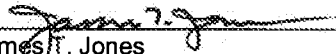
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is requested that the term for response to the Examiner's Action in this application, mailed on September 10, 2007, and having an original period for response of three-months, which expired on December 10, 2007, be extended by three-month(s), such that it expires on March 10, 2008.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge the amount as stated under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, as well as any additional fees required, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-1445. Two copies of this paper are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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